

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Potyrailo et al.)
) Group Art Unit: NYA
Serial No.: NYA)
) Before the Examiner: NYA
Filed: Even Herewith)
)
For: SYSTEM AND METHODS FOR THE)
 DEPOSITION AND CURING OF)
 COATING COMPOSITIONS)

Mail Stop Patent Application
Assistant Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
UNDER 37 CFR §§ 1.56, 1.97 AND 1.98

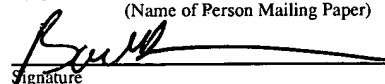
Sir:

In compliance with the duty to disclose, applicants herein apprise the Patent Office of prior art in a parent U.S. application from which this application obtains the benefit of an earlier filing date under 35 U.S.C. § 120. The Serial Number of the parent application is USSN 09/682,831 filed 23 October 2001 entitled SYSTEM AND METHODS FOR THE DEPOSITION AND CURING OF COATING COMPOSITIONS. The publications cited therein are listed on attached Form PTO-1449.

I certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as Express Mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Alexandria, VA 22313 on

September 23, 2003
(Date of Deposit)

Barbara Davidson
(Name of Person Mailing Paper)

 09/23/2003
Signature Date

In accordance with 37 CFR § 1.98 (d) copies of the listed publications are not required.

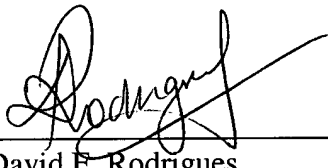
Consideration of this Information Disclosure Statement is respectfully requested.

Since this Information Disclosure Statement is being filed within three months of the filing date of the subject application, no fee or certification under 37 CFR § 1.97 (e) is required.

However, in the event the Commissioner of Patents deems that any fee is required under 37 CFR §§ 1.16 and 1.17 in connection with this application, applicant's attorneys authorize that such fee be charged to Deposit Account No. 06-1130.

Respectfully submitted,

CANTOR COLBURN LLP

By: 
David E. Rodrigues
Registration No. 50,604

Date: September 23, 2003
Address: 55 Griffin Road South, Bloomfield, Connecticut 06002
Telephone: (860) 286-2929
Customer No. 23413

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE CITATION <i>(Use several sheets if necessary)</i>	Docket Number (Optional) RD28305-2	Application Number NYA
	Applicant(s) Potyralo et al.	
	Filing Date Even Herewith	Group Art Unit NYA

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

*EXAMINER INITIAL	REF	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
		4,968,535	11/06/90	Terai et al.			
		5,075,139	12/24/91	Crumbach et al.			
		5,945,199	09/31/99	Morin et al.			
		5,985,356	11/16/99	Schultz et al.			
		5,386,500	01/95	Pomerantz et al.			
		6,004,617	12/21/99	Schultz et al.			
		6,034,775	03/07/00	McFarland et al.			
		6,045,671	04/04/00	Wu et al.			
		6,151,123	11/21/00	Nielsen			

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

REF	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	Translation	
						YES	NO

OTHER DOCUMENTS *(Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)*

		<i>Organic Coatings</i> , Science and Technology, Second Edition by Z.W. Wicks Jr., F.N. Jones and S.P. Pappas, Wiley-Interscience, 1999
		Surface Coatings Vol. 2-Paints and Their Applications, Prepared by the Oil and Colour Chemists' Association, Australia, Tafe Educational Books, 1987

EXAMINER	DATE CONSIDERED
-----------------	------------------------

EXAMINER: Initial if citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP Section 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE CITATION <i>(Use several sheets if necessary)</i>		Docket Number (Optional) RD28305-2	Application Number NYA
		Applicant(s) Potyrailo et al.	
		Filing Date Even Herewith	Group Art Unit NYA
*EXAMINER INITIAL	OTHER DOCUMENTS <i>(Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)</i>		
	Lewis J. Rothberg and Andrew J. Lovinger, "Status of and Prospects for Organic Electroluminescence", Journal of Materials Research, Vol II, No. 12 pp 3174-3187 Dec. 1996		
	X.D. Xiang, Xiaondong Sun, Gabriel Briceno, Yulin Lou, Kai-An Wang, Hauyee Chang, William G. Wallace-Freedman, Sung-Wei Chen, Peter G. Schultz; "A Combinatorial Approach to Materials Discovery", Science, Vol. 268, June 23, 1995		
	J.J. Hanak, Journal of Materials Science 5 (1970) 964-971; "The 'Multiple-Sample Concept' in Materials Research; Synthesis, Compositional Analysis and Testing of Entire Multicomponent Systems"		
	R.B. van Dover, L.F. Schneemeyer, R.M. Flemming: Nature, Volume 392, March 12, 1998: "Discovery of a useful thin-film dielectric using a composition-spread approach"		
	Coating Technology handbook, edited by D. Satas, Marcel Dekker, inc. 1991		
	Freud, M.S.; Lewis, N.S., A chemically diverse conducting polymer-based "electronic noise", Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA 1995, 92, 2652-2656		
	Dickinson, T.A.; Walt, D.R.; White, J.; Kauer, J.S., Generating sensor diversity through combinatorial polymer synthesis, Anal. Chem. 1997, 69, 3413-3418		
	Ballantine, D.S., Jr.; White, R.M.; Martin, S.J.; Ricco, A.J.; Frye, G.C.; Zellers, E.T.; Wohltjen, H., Acoustic Wave Sensors; Theory, Desing and Physico-Chemical Application; Academic Press: San Diego, CA, 1997, pp 436		
	Smith, W.J. Modern Optical Engineering: McGraw-Hill: New York, NY 1990		
EXAMINER		DATE CONSIDERED	
<p>*EXAMINER: Initial if citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP Section 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.</p>			